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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



Re: Application of Tsutomu SHOKI  
METHOD OF PRODUCING A REFLECTIVE MASK AND METHOD OF  
PRODUCING A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE  
Assignee: **HOYA CORPORATION**  
Our Ref. Q80568

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising thirty-six (36) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, three (3) sheets of drawings, a copy of the executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) and a Preliminary Amendment.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	19 - 20	=		x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent claims	4 - 3	=	1	x	\$86.00	=	\$86.00
Base Fee							\$770.00

<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>	<b>\$856.00</b>
Recordation of Assignment	\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>	<b>\$896.00</b>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$856.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

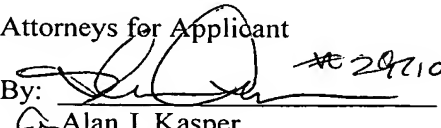
Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	74897/2003	March 19, 2003

The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,  
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